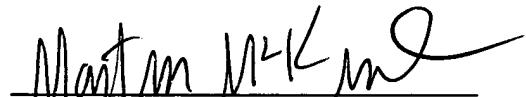


REMARKS

The claims have been amended by canceling claim 7, re-writing claims 4-5, and adding new claims 8-12. Claims 1-6 and 8-12 remain in the application. No new matter has been added to the application as a result of the present paper. In addition, the scope of the claims has not been narrowed.

Respectfully submitted,



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